



State of Wisconsin
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**SENATE AMENDMENT 3,
TO 1997 ASSEMBLY BILL 463**

April 30, 1998 – Offered by Senators HUELSMAN and ROESSLER.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the engrossed bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 112, line 12: delete lines 12 to 25.

3 **2.** Page 113, line 1: delete lines 1 to 25.

4 **3.** Page 114, line 1: delete lines 1 to 24.

5 **4.** Page 115, line 1: delete lines 1 to 9 and substitute:

6 “**SECTION 265m.** 48.981 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

7 48.981 **(2)** PERSONS REQUIRED TO REPORT. A physician, coroner, medical
8 examiner, nurse, dentist, chiropractor, optometrist, acupuncturist, other medical or
9 mental health professional, social worker, marriage and family therapist,
10 professional counselor, public assistance worker, including a financial and
11 employment planner, as defined in s. 49.141 (1) (d), school teacher, administrator or
12 counselor, mediator under s. 767.11, child care worker in a day care center or child
13 caring institution, day care provider, alcohol or other drug abuse counselor, member

1 of the treatment staff employed by or working under contract with a county
2 department under s. 46.23, 51.42 or 51.437, physical therapist, occupational
3 therapist, dietitian, speech–language pathologist, audiologist, emergency medical
4 technician or police or law enforcement officer having reasonable cause to suspect
5 that a child seen in the course of professional duties has been abused or neglected
6 or having reason to believe that a child seen in the course of professional duties has
7 been threatened with abuse or neglect and that abuse or neglect of the child will occur
8 shall, except as provided under sub. (2m), report as provided in sub. (3). Any other
9 person, including an attorney, having reason to suspect that a child has been abused
10 or neglected ~~or, reason to suspect that an unborn child has been abused,~~ reason to
11 believe that a child has been threatened with abuse or neglect and that abuse or
12 neglect of the child will occur or reason to believe that an unborn child is at
13 substantial risk of abuse may make such a report. No person making a report under
14 this subsection may be discharged from employment for so doing.”.

15 **5.** Page 119, line 14: delete lines 14 to 19.

16 **6.** Page 122, line 17: delete “(a)”.

17 **7.** Page 123, line 1: delete lines 1 to 5.

18 **8.** Page 131, line 13: delete “or expectant mother”.

19 **9.** Page 131, line 14: delete lines 14 and 15 and substitute “substance analogs
20 in the infant’s bodily fluids, the physician shall make a report under s. 46.238. If the
21 results of the test indicate that the expectant mother does have controlled substances
22 or controlled substance analogs in the expectant mother’s bodily fluids, the physician
23 may make a report under s. 46.238.”.

24 **10.** Page 131, line 19: after that line insert:

